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7 In the early '90s, I spent a number of years

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- 8 writing a book on Yucca Mountain researching the
- 9 background of the opposition. While there is both pro
- 10 and negative arguments for Yucca Mountain or, in fact,
- 11 for technological innovation, what I did find was that
- 12 the roots were disturbing in that there is a political
- 13 emphasis on decentralists theory which is anarchist
- 14 theory which comes out of the Nader groups. I've done
- 15 a book called, "Yucca Mountain, The Battle For National
- 16 Energy Policy." I will be presenting that on a website
- 17 too. The address is www.alcoveweb.com. However, there
- 18 will be a website devoted to it in the future. This
- 19 will go through and outline where a lot of the money
- 20 was spent. For example, \$15 million to socioeconomic
- 21 studies that went out the state of Nevada. The fact
- 22 that there were no socioeconomic review. The peer
- 23 review was done by someone from out of state. A number
- of other, 350 pages of other inconsistencies. So my
- 25 conclusion is that this is beyond a technical issue and 0006
 - 1 has become a political issue, very much to the
 - 2 detriment of the U.S. and to our energy policy.
 - 3 And that's my statement. That's good enough.

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